

LEWIS RANDALL J  
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**FORM 4**

**UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
LEWIS RANDALL J

(Last) (First) (Middle)  
120 MONUMENT CIRCLE  
(Street)

INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
WELLPOINT INC [WLP]

3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year)  
08/07/2009

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

\_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below) \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify below)  
EVP & Chief Compliance Officer

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

| 1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5) | 5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4) | 6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4) | 7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4) |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
|                                 |                                      |                                                    | Code                           | V                                                                 | Amount                                                                                        | (A) or (D)                                               | Price                                                 |
| Common Stock                    | 08/07/2009                           |                                                    | M                              |                                                                   | 16,667                                                                                        | A                                                        | \$ 39.09                                              |
| Common Stock                    | 08/07/2009                           |                                                    | M                              |                                                                   | 40,000                                                                                        | A                                                        | \$ 44.18                                              |
| Common Stock                    | 08/07/2009                           |                                                    | S                              |                                                                   | 56,667                                                                                        | D                                                        | \$ 51.68<br>(1)                                       |
| Common Stock                    | 08/10/2009                           |                                                    | S                              |                                                                   | 14,526                                                                                        | D                                                        | \$ 51.78<br>(2)                                       |

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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

| 1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3) | 2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security | 3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year) | 3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year) | 4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8) | 5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5) | 6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year) | 7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4) |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                            |                                                        |                                      |                                                    | Code                           | V (A) (D)                                                                               | Date Exercisable Expiration Date                         | Title Amount or Number of Shares                              |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)       | \$ 39.09                                               | 08/07/2009                           |                                                    | M                              | 16,667                                                                                  | 07/14/2006 07/14/2013                                    | Common Stock 16,667                                           |
| Employee Stock Option (Right to Buy)       | \$ 44.18                                               | 08/07/2009                           |                                                    | M                              | 40,000                                                                                  | <u>(3)</u> 05/17/2014                                    | Common Stock 40,000                                           |

## Reporting Owners

| Reporting Owner Name / Address                                   | Relationships |           |                                |       |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------|-------|
|                                                                  | Director      | 10% Owner | Officer                        | Other |
| LEWIS RANDALL J<br>120 MONUMENT CIRCLE<br>INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204 |               |           | EVP & Chief Compliance Officer |       |

## Signatures

Kathleen S. Kiefer,  
Attorney-in-fact 08/11/2009

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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- This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$51.50 to \$51.78. The price reported reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
- (1) This transaction was executed in multiple trades at prices ranging from \$51.76 to \$51.82. The price reported reflects the weighted average sale price. The reporting person hereby undertakes to provide upon request to the SEC staff, the issuer or a security holder of the issuer full information regarding the number of shares and prices at which the transaction was effected.
- (2) 13,333 options vested on each of 5/17/05 and 5/17/06, and 13,334 options vested on 5/17/07.
- (3)

### Remarks:

Exhibit List: Exhibit 24 - Limited Power of Attorney

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